

SUPERFUND COMMUNITY INVOLVEMENT HIGHLIGHTS  
SEPTEMBER 2020

**MEETING AGENDA | SEPTEMBER 24, 2020**

1:00-1:05 **Management updates** (Leonard/Dietz/Nitsch/Howell)

1:05-1:45 **Emerging & active sites**

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1:45-2:00 **Other noteworthy outreach efforts, by state**

**CALENDAR: UPCOMING COMMUNITY MEETINGS & OUTREACH**

*(TBD) – exact date(s) to be determined*

**Sept 3** **Blades Groundwater** National Priorities List (NPL) postcard, press release and residential sampling access letters (Mandell/Page)

**Sept 4**

**Sept 15**

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**Blades Groundwater** call with state and local government (Mandell/Page)

**Sept 16**

**Sept 17**

**Sept 18**

**Sept 21**

**Sept 22**

**Sept 23**

**Sept 28**

**Sept 28**

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**Sept 30**

**Sept (TBD)**

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#### **PUBLIC NOTICE ADS:**

Sept 2

Sept 30

Sept 22

Sept (TBD)

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#### **MONTHLY HIGHLIGHTS - OUTREACH EFFORTS BY STATE: DELAWARE**

##### **Blades Groundwater – CICs Mandell (4-5517), Page (4-2409); RPM Taylor**

- The site was added to the NPL on September 3. A regional press release and a postcard were distributed to announce the rulemaking. Letters were also sent to select residents to request access to sample their residential wells. The site team has been in contact with several community members who received the postcard, and some have expressed interest in being interviewed for the Community Involvement Plan (CIP), which is currently under development. Additionally, the site team held a meeting with Blades elected officials on September 15 to update them on the next steps in the Superfund process.
- **CIC Perspective** – This site has received media attention and public interest since the drinking water emergency occurred in 2018. At the December 2019 NPL proposal meeting, there was support for the listing from local stakeholders. The Mayor of Blades and his team have agreed that early and meaningful communication with the community will go a long way as we continue our efforts. The CICs also learned that there are areas that are predominantly Spanish-speaking and other areas that are home to many Haitian people. The CICs will be vigilant in making sure that everyone in the community is engaged and included in the community updates. The CICs will continue to promote the importance of community interviews for the CIP to ensure all needs from community members and local leaders are captured.

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**DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA**

- Nothing new to report.

**MARYLAND**

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